



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jean-Pierre Sommadossi *et al.*

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Title: 2 -C-Methyl-3- O-L-Valine Ester Ribofuranosyl Cytidine for Treatment of
Flaviviridae Infections

Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 5, 2003

Petition for Extension of Time

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants herewith petition that the period for submitting a Response to File Missing Parts of Provisional Application in the above-identified application be extended for one month, to and including January 2, 2004. We believe the fee to be \$110.00 for the petition for extension of time. Applicants believe the amount of the fee is correct; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0980.

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Respectfully submitted,

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